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FOR CLERK SUPERIOR COURT,
STACEY VANAMRINGE.

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FOR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

DR. HENRY E. SCOTT.

WILLIAM H. WADDELL.

FOR THE SENATE.

CITY BRIEFS.—The Hon. Thomas S.

Ashe was on our streets last week.

The schooner Alabama, 152 tons, owned

in Philadelphia, went ashore on the

shallow near Bald Head. Lots of

people went to Smithville on Tuesday

on the passport and the Underhill to

hear the Cantata of "Ester," coming

back in the night. It is reported that

Mr. Julius W. Wright, born in this

city, has died at Hickory. Mr. J.

D. Young of this city has gone to California

to study medicine with his uncle,

Dr. Langdon. There were five

boats in the yacht fleet on Monday,

the Profie, the Bonnie Lassie, the Rosa,

the Retta and the Ripple. The Rosa

beat them all. Prof. Gonzalez, a

new musical light, a baritone, has

turned up here, singing musical circles.

The dog tax is being enforced.

A new road, branching from the

Wrightsville turnpike, now leads to

Masonboro. There is a temperance

revival on the tapis here, gotten

up by Mr. Jonas Doughton, a distinguished

temperance advocate. Fifty

persons signed the pledge at his first

meeting. A new Compress Company

has been organized here by

Capt. E. J. Pennypacker as its President.

The Thalian Amateurs of

Miss Bradley's school are giving the

nicest sort of entertainments at the

Tilston Upper Room. Platt D.

Walker, Esq., of Rockingham, has

married a Miss Covington at Reidsville.

The possession of the Marine Hospital

property has been resumed by the

U. S. Government, Dr. J. F. King the

purchaser having voluntarily relinquished

his claim upon it.

LATEST NEWS ITEMS.

The Stanley Matthews committee has

commenced its investigation.

The President is at West Point attending

the graduating exercises.

The Potter committee are still

wallowing in the filth of Louisiana politics.

More forgeries and more lying. The

face nearly at an end.

The Emperor of Germany is so much

better that he proposes to give a grand

reception to the Congress before it

adjourns. The members are all at Berlin

but are spending their time thus far in

exchanging civilities.

There is no record of a single failure

of Dr. Harter's Fever and Ague Specific

CITY ITEMS.

WANTED.—Some three or four boys to

sell the POST every Sunday morning.

Apply to W. E. N. Fellers, at this office.

For church directory see fourth page.

Sampson is Foster(ing) his strength.

O where, O where is Schenck? Why

Shotwell has ku kluxed him.

"A lady from Jacksonville" passed

through this city a few days ago.

We are going to Waddell a man to

the legislature as well as to Congress.

Maj. C. M. Stedman, who has been

absent for several days, attending the

State Convention, has returned.

Butler has captured the Potter

committee, and it will hereafter be known

as the Butler-Spoon Gang.

Colonel Ike Young has been making

a desperate fight on Colonel Shaffer,

his old enemy. We are for peace.

The Democratic Judicial Convention

nominated Captain Swift Galloway for

Solicitor, and if he should be elected

will make a very excellent prosecuting

officer.

Vance is working hard for the

senatorship. He has a very able man to

deal with Senator Merrimon is no fool

in politics. He usually knows where

and when to strike to make his blows

felt.

Notice.—If the different Churches

of the city will send to the office of the

Post on each Saturday morning the

time of service and the names of

persons officiating when there is a change

we will publish them each Sunday

morning.

Colonel Thomas B. Keoh, Chairman

of the Republican State Executive

Committee, was quite sick at the Ebbitt

House in Washington, D. C., during

the past week. He recovered sufficiently

to leave Washington Thursday night

for home. He has our best wishes for

his speedy recovery.

Wakey Meares, we mean little Wakey

the first. Wakey Meares wants the

proceedings of the Board of Magis-

trates published in the two Democratic

papers. He does not desire that

Republicans should know what he does.

"The two daily papers" are the only

ones the poor fellow can see. Poor boy,

better take a drink.

One of Governor Vance's stories has

floated down here from Raleigh. Some-

body said to Vance, "You certainly

can't deny that Merrimon has made a

good Democratic Senator." Said Vance,

"It reminds me of an old farmer over

in McDowell. His neighbor said to

another neighbor, 'Well, Jones has

made a good crop this year.' 'Yes,'

said the other neighbor 'but he stole

the horse he made it with.'"

The convention held at Burgaw on

Friday, by the Republicans to select

delegates to represent Pender county in

the Senatorial Convention, seems to

have got things badly mixed. Messrs.

Wilson, Foster and Sampson all claim

the county. Which one will be the

"lucky dog" in capturing that delega-

tion, no one can, with the present

lights, tell.

The Democratic State Convention

met at Raleigh on the 13th and

nominated for Chief Justice, W. N. H.

Smith; for Associates, Thos. S. Ashe of

Anson, and Dillard of Richmond

county. All of these gentlemen are

considered by the legal profession as

See ad. of John S. James, J. P., tax

listing.

See ad. of Clerk and Treasurer, con-

cerning dogs.

See ad. of W. P. Canaday, Collector,

for proposals, &c.

The Republicans have captured the

Key to the situation at Washington.

Fighting "Dan" has not been heard

of lately. Have you taken the gifts off

of him, friend Register?

Hayes has the Democratic smoke

house locked, and has the Key in his

bosom, next to his heart.

A blackmailer, black-hearted forger

and a perjurer is the best the Potter

investigating committee can do in the

shape of evidence, which will certainly

be of benefit to the Republicans and a

great damage to the Democrats, on ac-

count of the character of their wit-

nesses.

BANK CONSOLIDATION.—The Daw-

son and the First National Bank have

consolidated. Mr. E. E. Burruss re-

mains as President, with Mr. James

Dawson, the late President of the Daw-

son Bank, as Vice President. The other

officers of the First National remain

the same as before, excepting two

changes in the Directors.

Some people we have seen in our life

time, think to fool an editor is a sharp

piece of business on their part—but

when that very same editor turns around

and tells them that he has found out

that they were mistaken, that no steam

car has blown them up, or church

steeple fallen on them, or some sort of

anecdotal crushed them, they feel dull

—yes, very dull, indeed.

BURGAW, June 14, 1878.

EDITOR POST.—The Pender county

senatorial convention met to-day. Each

township appointed one from their

number to recommend a committee of

five to meet with alike committee from

New Hanover county. The five

gentlemen selected by the committee were

accepted by the convention, after which

the convention proceeded to ballot for

a choice for a candidate for the State

Senate, with the following result:

First Ballot—Foster 17; Wilson, 3;

scattering, 2.

On the second ballot Foster received

the unanimous vote of the convention,

and the committee of five were so in-

structed.

[The above was handed in by Mr.

Foster, and must be correct.—Ed.]

SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING.—We

copy the following sketch from an old

family bible belonging to a young

friend of ours, printed more than a

hundred years ago, thinking that per-

haps it may interest some of our read-

ers as it did us, for we are of the opin-

ion that it is "something worth know-

ing."

"The bible contains 3,566,489 letters;

8,106,679 words; 31,193 verses; 1,189

chapters; and 66 books. The word

"and" occurs 4,622 times; "Lord," 1,854;

"reverend," only one time and that in

the CXI Psalm. The 27th verse of the

7th chap. of Ezra contains the alphabet.

The 19th chap. of the book of 21 Kings

and the 37th chap. of Isaiah are alike.

The first man recorded as buried in a

coffin was Joseph, 50th chap. of Genesis

26th verse. No where but in the 15th

chapter of 2nd Timothy is the name of

grandmother mentioned. There is no

word of more than six syllables in the

bible.

Meeting of the Board of Magistrates.

Judges—F J Lord, F C Singletary,

Elias Halsey, Jno G Norwood.

FIFTH WARD.

Registrar—J C Mills.

Judges—Wilkes Morris, J W Branch,

Alfred Howe, W A Jordan.

Polling place changed to Shapoe's store

on Queen, between Fourth and Fifth

streets.

CAPE FEAR TOWNSHIP.

Registrar—A J Grady.

Judges—Iredell Johnson, James Cowan,

Benjamin Wilson, Luke Grady.

Polling place changed to Castle Hayne.

HARNETT TOWNSHIP.

Registrar—A A Moseley.

Judges—C O Morse, A B Black, J A

Hewlett, James Monk.

Polling place changed to McComber's

store.

MASONBORO TOWNSHIP.

Registrar—J A Farrow.

Judges—J L Horne, Louis Tod, G W

Hewlett, F M Hewlett.

FERRIS POINT TOWNSHIP.

Registrar—J H Horne.

Judges—D R King, James O Wilson,

R B Freeman, Stephen Keyes.

Polling place changed to Oak Hill

School House.

Upon motion the report of the Com-

mittee was received and adopted, and

the appointments recommended by the

Committee for Registrars and Judges of

Election confirmed, together with the

changes in the different polling places as

recommended.

Justice D. G. Worth, Chairman of the

Committee appointed to inquire into the

propriety of abolishing the office of

County Treasurer, reported progress and

asked for further time, which upon

motion was granted.

On motion of Justice Walker Meares

it was

Resolved, That the changes in the

polling places be published once a week

for four weeks in the two daily papers of

this city.

Justice J. N. Maditt, of Harnett

township, then offered the following

resolution, which after considerable

discussion was finally adopted:

THE WILMINGTON POST.

WILMINGTON, N. C.
SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 16, 1878.

ALL SORTS.

Mr. Bryant's first collection of poems did not fill his youthful pocket. A gentleman who not long ago purchased for \$5 a copy of this first edition, now very rare, took the book to the venerable poet, asking that he should write his autograph therein. Mr. Bryant complied, saying "Five dollars is more than I received on that whole edition."

In ancient Sparta, the government paid as much attention to the rearing of men as men now pay to cattle breeding. The law regulated the degree of fatness to which it was lawful for a citizen to extend his body, and when a man got too fat for military service, he was soundly whipped. Merciful heavens, if David Davis had been an ancient Spartan! We might have heard him yell clear over here.

It appears that in Princeton Seminary H. M. Brown and F. J. Grimké, both colored students, were ignored while there, in the distribution of funds given by the Messrs. Stuart of New York, for candidates under the care of the Board of Education. The city Presbytery, at its last meeting, learning the fact, adopted a resolution requesting Dr. McMill, of the Princeton Theological Seminary, to give the reason for this discrimination.

A wise Dartmouth student has been in the habit of bracing up the conscience of his washerwoman by writing at the end of his wash list, "Honesty is the best policy." But he rather overdid the proverb business the other day. His clothes were very dirty, so he wrote, "Labor omnia vincit." She evidently knew a proverb or two, even if they weren't classical, for he returned, "Money makes the mare go."

On Wednesday, May 23rd, Governor McCornick and Mr. L. P. Morton, Honorary Commissioners to the Paris Exposition from the United States, had the honor of receiving their Royal Highness, the Prince and Princess of Wales, and of showing them the American exhibition. His Royal Highness was most cordial in his appreciation, and expressed himself highly pleased with the exhibits and the courteous reception he had met with from the Commissioners.

Tudueiro Pottero.
(Burlington Hawkeye.)

A Mexican Don Tildenero,
Too aged to emulate Nero,
But whose hogheads of gold
Made the old rascal hold,
And a bargain was closed with Pottero.

This Mexican statesman, Pottero,
Ambitions to shine as a hero,
Convinced at rebellion,
Himself as chief in—lion,
This Senor Mexicano Pottero.

SALOON.

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To get the very best
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NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

MAY 21st, 1878.

To the Voters of New Hanover

County.

IN accordance with a Resolution passed by the Board of Justices of the Peace for New Hanover county, in meeting assembled, May 21st, 1878, and in obedience to their order, I hereby give notice that there will be "An Entirely New Registration of Voters" of the County of New Hanover, to commence on the twenty seventh (27th) day of June, 1878, and to continue for thirty (30) days (Sundays excepted), preceding the election to be held on the first Thursday in August, 1878.

JOHN COWAN,
Secretary Board of Justice of the Peace for New Hanover county.

(my 21st)

Flour, Sugar, Meat, Molasses.

1000 Bbls FLOUR, of various brands.

20 Bbls SUGAR, of sundry grades.

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The Mexican Mustang Liniment is a matchless
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To stock owners and farmers it is invaluable.
A single bottle often saves a human life or re-

stores the usefulness of an excellent horse, ox,
cow, or sheep.

It cures foot-rot, hoof-ail, hollow horn, grub,
scab, worm, shouldered, mange, the bites and

stings of poisonous reptiles and insects, and every
such drawback to stock breeding and bush life.

It cures every external trouble of horses, such
as lameness, scratches, sprains, sprains, founder,

wind-gill, stag-bone, etc., etc.

The Mexican Mustang Liniment is the quickest
remedy in the world for accidents occurring in the

family, in the absence of a physician, such as
burns, scalds, sprains, cuts, etc., and for rheuma-

tism, and stiffness engendered by exposure. Par-

ticularly valuable to miners.

It is the cheapest remedy in the world, for it
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It will stand up for the good name of
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